

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

ANTHONY TELLIS and BRUCE CHARLES * JUDGE ELIZABETH E. FOOTE
on behalf of themselves and all others similarly * USMJ MARK L. HORNSBY
situated *

VERSUS *

JAMES M. LEBLANC, Secretary * CIVIL ACTION
of the Louisiana Department of Public Safety * NO.: 5:18-CV-00541-EEF-MLH
and Corrections, et al. *

**MOTION TO STAY REMEDIAL ORDER AND JUDGMENT
PENDING APPEAL AND FOR EXPEDITED CONSIDERATION**

Defendants (the “State”) move to stay this Court’s Remedial Order (R.Doc. 755) and Judgment (R.Doc. 756) pending resolution of the State’s appeal to the Fifth Circuit and for expedited consideration. The State filed its Notice of Appeal on August 2, 2024. In the event the Court denies this Motion, the State intends to seek a stay from the Fifth Circuit. To allow the State to do so before the 30-day period for appointing three special masters elapses, the State respectfully requests that the Court rule upon the Motion on or before August 7, 2024 at 5:00 p.m.

For these reasons, and as more fully set forth in the State’s Memorandum in Support of this Motion, the Court should expedite its consideration of this Motion and stay the Remedial Order and Judgment pending appeal.

Dated: August 2, 2024

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 2nd day of August 2024, I electronically filed the foregoing pleading with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system which will send a notice of electronic filing to all counsel of record.

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